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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 30, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below:

SPECIFICATION AMENDMENTS begin on page 2 of this paper.

CLAIM AMENDMENTS begin on page 4 of this paper.

AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS begin on page 3 of this paper.

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